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Monday, May 13. 1723.

London, May 13.

On Saturday and Yesterday arrived the Mails from France and Flanders.

Paris, May 19.

IT is reported, that the General Assembly of the Clergy which should have been held the 25th Instant, is put off to the Beginning of next Month, by Reason of the Indisposition of the Cardinal Prime Minister, who was to open it: It is said also, the Clergy has granted the King a Free Gift of 20 Millions, to be paid in four Years. Letters from Cadiz relate, that the Spanish Commissaries would exact from some French Merchant-Ships a Mark-Fee upon every Bale of Goods from the South Provinces of France, pretending that the Council of Trade had forbid the Sale of them without that Proof of Health; upon which, the Parties concern'd have sent their Complaints to the Court of Spain. An Officer belonging to the Order of the Holy Ghost was sent from Court last Week to summon all the Knights of that Order in this City to be present at Versailles on Whitsunday next, to attend the King at the Annual Procession on that Day: The filling up the vacant Offices of that Order, which was to be done upon that Day, is again put off to another Time, as is likewise the Nomination to the vacant Benefices. While the Court continues at Meudon, the Duke of Orleans designs to go to sup every Night at the Castle of St. Cloud. The young Men who upon Ascension Day last wounded the Swiss Door-keeper at the Innocents Church, are try'd, and condemn'd to make the *Amende Honorable*, and are to serve three Years in the Gallies. The Knights of Malta in this City are preparing to set out for Marseilles, in order to embark there for Malta, to defend that Island against the Turks. The following Declaration is lately published here, directing Penalties for Reparation of Honour, on Occasion of Affronts and Menaces between Gentlemen and others, viz.

LEWIS by the Grace of God, King of France and of Navarre: To all whom these Presents shall come, Greeting. By our Edict of February last, registred in our Parliament of Paris, we then sitting in our Court of Justice the 22d of the said Month, confirmed the Ordinances of the Kings our Predecessours concerning Duels, and established new Penalties in order to hinder our Subjects from palliating by subtle Contrivances the Presumption they would be guilty of in contravening such pious Laws; but being desirous further to make known our Intention, to employ all the Power which God has given us, in order to put a Stop in the beginning to the Consequences of such a pernicious Custom, we have given Orders to our most dear and well-beloved Cousins the Mareschals of France, to meet together to deliberate upon proper Satisfaction and Reparation of Honour in Cases of Affronts, which are the Source of Mischief between Gentlemen, Military Persons, and others having Right to bear Arms in our Service; and our said Cousins representing to us such Particulars as by them have been agreed to on this Subject in their Assembly of the 8th Instant, we have judged requisite to order the same to be put in Execution. For which Cause, and others thereto moving us, by Advice of our Council, and of our own certain Experience, full Power, and Royal Authority, we have signified, declared, and ordered, and do by these Presents signed under our Hand, signify, declare, order, and make known, and such is our Will and Pleasure,

I. That upon Offences given without Provocation, by injurious Words, such as Blockhead, Coward, Traytor, or the like, if not retorted by more severe Repartees, the Giver of such ill Language shall be condemned to six Months Imprisonment, and to ask Pardon of the offended Person before Commitment, in the Manner specified in the 7th Article of the Regulation made by our said Cousins in the Year 1653.

II. If the offended Person replies with such like affronting Language, or stronger, he shall suf three Months Imprisonment, without having P don asked of him by the Aggressor, who neve theless shall have no Abatement of his six Mont Imprisonment.

III. Giving the Lye, and threatning with the Hand or Cane, by Words or Gesture, shall be punished with two Years Imprisonment, and the Aggressor shall, before Commitment, ask Pardon of the Person affronted.

IV. In case giving the Lye, or threatning to strike are returned by Blows either with the Hand or Cane, the Person that gave the Lye, or threatned, shall be punished as Aggressor with two Years Imprisonment, and the Striker shall incur the Penalties specified in our Edict of February last. This we give in Command to our loving and faithful Councellours the Persons holding our Court of Parliament at Paris, requiring them to cause these Presents to be read, published and registred, the Contents thereof to be strictly kept and observed in every Point, according to its Form and Tenour. For such is our Pleasure. Given at Versailles the 12th Day of April in the Year of our Lord 1723, and in the Eighth Year of our Reign.

Signed *LOUIS.*
and lower *Phelypeaux.*

London, May 13.

On Saturday South-Sea Stock was 97 3 qrs. Bank 116 1 half. India 127 3 qrs. African 12 1 8th, to 12. York-Buildings 14. Royal Exchange Assurance 4 1 qr. London Assurance 6 1 8th. Lottery Tickets 10 l. 11 s. to 10 l. 11 s. 6 d.

Victualling-Office, May 8, 1723.

Notice is hereby given, that all the Short-Allowance Lists of His Majesty's Ships under-mentioned, on which Payments were made in the Years 1705, 1706, and 1707, will begin to be recalled on the 23d Instant, at the Pay-Office in Broad-street, viz.

Essex,	Grafton,
Elizabeth,	St. George,
Enterprize,	Prince George,
Edgar,	Griffin Fireship,
Eagle,	Granado Bomb,
Expedition,	Gosport,
Faulkland,	Guernsey,
Faulkland Prize,	Hastings,
Folkstone,	Hampton-Court,
Fowey,	Hector,
Le Firme,	Hunter Fireship,
Faulcon.	Jersey,
Fubbs Yacht,	Ipswich,
Flambrough,	Isabella Yacht,
Firebrand Fireship,	Jeffries Hospital,
Greenwich,	Kingston,
Glocester,	Kent,
Guarland,	King's-Fisher.

Note, So soon as the aforesaid Payments are finished, further Notice will be given for recalling Lists of other Ships for the same Years in Alphabetical Order.

And for preventing as much as possible any Abuses in the said Payments, it will be expected, that where the Seamen cannot attend themselves, their Letters of Attorney shall be witnessed by two or more Commission or Warrant-Officers of His Majesty's Ships in which they serve, or by two or more of the Officers of His Majesty's Navy or Victualling, or by the Mayor, or two or more of the Magistrates of some Corporation, or by a Publick Notary, or by the Minister and Church-Wardens of the Parish (where the other cannot be had) and where old Letters of Attorney are produced, they are to be accompanied with the like Attestation, that the Persons who made the same are living.

Hand-in-Hand Fire-Office.

The Directors give Notice, that a General Meeting of the Contributors of the said Society will be held at their Office in Angel-Court on Snow-Hill, on Thursday the 16th Instant, by Three in the Afternoon; where all who have insured are desired to be present.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, To-morrow, being Tuesday, the 14th of May, will be performed a New Opera call'd, FLAVIUS. Tickets will be delivered out at their Office in the Hay-Market this Day and To-morrow, at half a Guinea each. N. B. No Tickets will be given out at the Door, nor any Persons whatsoever admitted for Money. Gallery 5 s. By Command, no Persons whatsoever will be admitted behind the Scenes. By reason of the Shortness of the Opera, to begin exactly at Eight a-Clock.

...efit of Mr. Thurmond, Dancing-Master, ... and Miss Seel.

...n Majesty's Company of Comedians.

...the Theatre Royal in Drury-lane, ...his present Monday, being the 15th of May, will be ...ted A Comedy call'd, The Committee. The Part of Colonel ...ell by Mr Wilks, Ruth Mrs. Thurmond, Colonel Blunt Mr. ..., Mr. Day Mr. Penkethman, Abel Mr Cibber, Jun Obadiah ... Johnson. Bookseller Mr. Norris, Mrs. Day Mrs. Baker, Arabella ...is Seal, Teague Mr Miller. With Entertainments of Dancing by ...r. Shaw, Mr. Thurmond, Mr. Topham, Mr. Boval, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. ...ounger, Mrs. Bullock, Miss Tenoe, and Miss Lindar. Particularly, ...n Entertainment of Dancing call'd, The Escapes of Harlequin.

For the Benefit of Mr. Wetford, and Mrs. Purden.

By the Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, this present Monday, being the 15th of May, will be presented A Comedy call'd, Love's last Shift; or, The Fool in Fashion. Sir Wm. Wisewoud by Mr. Hall, Loveless Mr. Ryan, Sir Novelty Fashion Mr. Egleton, Elder Worthy Mr. Quin, Young Worthy Mr. Walker, Snap Mr H. Bullock, Sly Mr. Bullock Senior, Amanda Mrs. Boheme, Narcissa Mrs. Bullock, Hillaria Mrs. Cross, Flareit Mrs. Egleton. With Entertainments of Dancing. Boxes 3 s. Pit 2 s. Gallery 1 s. And To-morrow will be presented the Tragedy of Julius Cæsar. For the Benefit of Mr. Chapman, Mr. Ward, and Mr. Mackenzie.

Thomas Martin of Lombard-street, London, Goldsmith, does hereby give Notice, that amongst other Tickets purchased by him in the Lottery for 700,000 l. Anno. 1721. it hath so happened that a Ticket, N° 61199, which was bought by him as a Blank, was upon entring the same at the Office for making out Certificates, found to be a Benefit of 20 l. Therefore if the Original Proprietor of the said Ticket will come to the said Mr. Martin, and make out a clear Title thereto, he the said Mr. Martin will pay the said Proprietor the Difference in Value at Demand.

May 9, 1723. Stopt a Silver Sword Hilt: Any Person that has lost it, describing it and telling the Weight, may have it, paying the Charges at Mr. Johnson's, Goldsmith, at the Cup and Ring without Cripplegate.

Lost on Monday the 6th Instant, between the Hours of 12 and 1 at the South-Sea-House, a white Vellum Pocket Book, with three Bank Notes payable to Conrade de Gols; one of 100 l. and two of 25 l. each; A Note of Woodward's for 150 l. payable to Richard Davies. A 20 l. Prize Lottery 1722, N° 41552. An Army Debenture Receipt for two Debenture Orders, 100 l. each, payable to Wm Lightfoot, Esq; 1 Debenture Receipt for 100 l. to Charles Usher, Esq. A Receipt for 2 Navy Tickets for 21 l. 14 s. 5 d. Two Mark Prizes 14 s. each on the Loan. A York-Buildings Receipt for 10 l. to Richard Davies, for 5 l. With several other Notes and Accompts, of no use but to the Owner. Whoever brings it to the Bar at Jonathan's Coffee-House, or to Tom's Coffee-House in Cornhill, or to Jonathan Wild's in the Old Bailey, shall have to Gratuity Reward, and no Quest ons ask'd, Payment at the Bank being stopt. NB The Gentleman that received the 150 l. for the Bank Notes at the South-Sea-House, is desired to be spoke with at Tom's Coffee-house.

A small Parcel of useless Papers, supposed to be drop'd in Steward-street, in the Old Artillery-Ground, near Spittlefields, on Thursday the 9th Instant. Whoever have found the same, are desired to bring them to Powell's Coffee-house in Lamb-street, near Spittlefields Market, and they shall have 5 s. Reward.

Any Person who is willing to dispose of the perpetual Advowson of any Parsonage or Vicaridge in the County of Leicester, or any of the Counties next adjacent, or in the City of London, or within 40 Miles thereof, of the yearly Value of 120 l. or 140 l. per Annum, may hear of a Purchaser, by applying to Mr. Henry Cruwys, at his Chambers in New-Inn, London.

To be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, (either together or in Parcels) before John Hiccocks, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Tuesday the 21st Instant, at Five in the Afternoon, sundry Chambers and Apartments in the New-Square of Lincoln's-Inn, and divers Shops or Sheds thereto adjoining; as also several Messuages or Tenements in Cook's Court, Serle-street, Portugal-street, and Cary-street, near Lincoln's-Inn aforesaid; and a Ground Rent of 25 l. 16 s. per Annum, issuing out of two Houses in Portugal-street; and a Fee-Farm Rent of 12 l. 6 s. 8 d. issuing out of Lands of the Dean and Chapter of Rochester; being the Estates late of Mr. Wm Atwill and Mr. Wm. Hamond. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn.

To be Lett, within eight Miles of London,

A good House Furnish'd, near a Church and Market; with Gardens, Coach-house, and Stables Enquire of Mr. Parker, Bookseller, near the Cocoa-Tree in Pall-Mall.

To be Sold,

In Parcels or together, by Virtue of an Act of Parliament of the last Sessions, a well conditioned improveable Estate, of about 600 l. per Annum, in the County of Westmeath, in Ireland, between Athlone and Mullingare, with a Mannor, Court-Baron, Court-Leet, Felons-Goods, Waifts, Estrays, Fugitives-Goods, Deodands, &c. a good Dwelling House, with Offices, Out-houses, Gardens, Orchards, and Avenues. And also an improveable Estate of 550 l. per Annum, in the Barony of Gallen, in the County of Mayo, near Boxford, Castlebar, and Ballinrobe, with a Mannor, and all things incident to a Mannor, a Hundred Court, considerable Chief Rents, and other Privileges, such as Suit-Service throughout the whole Barony. Particulars of which Estates may be had at the present Honourable the Lord Viscount Dillon's House in Conduit-Street, near Hanover-Square; or Mr. Sexton's Chambers in Gray's-Inn; or at Mr. Staunton's House on Usher's-Key in Dublin. " The Sale of the said Estates, " which was intended for the last Day of this Instant May, is put off " to the first of July next, and therefore whoever is minded to bid " for the said Estates, or any Part thereof, is desired to transmit " his Proposals before the 24th of June next, to the Lord Dillon, " at his beforementioned House, and to Seal up the Proposals in " distinct Papers, it being determined to open them all on the same " Day, and to accept of such of them as shall be found Satisfactory.

To be Sold,

A House in Derry-street, of two Rooms and a large Closet on a Floor, with a Wash-house, Wood-house, and other Conveniencies out of Doors, in a handsome Garden, pleasantly planted with several other Houses, which makes it both airy, healthy, and pleasant; nor is it less valuable for the Commodiousness of the Situation, being near St James's Church, Chapel, Park, Palace, Coffee and Chocolate-Houses. Enquire of Mrs. Elliot, at St. James's Coffee-house, at the upper End of the Pall-Mall.

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A new Brick House at Putney, near the Bowl, with Iron Gates, four Rooms on a Floor, two Pair of Stairs, a good Garden of Walk-fruit, and Stables, and all other Conveniencies. The whole House to be Lett, or a Part of it. Enquire at the Ormond's Head at the Bowl. Also a large Brick House to be Lett or Sold, four Rooms on a Floor, well-inhabited and fanning the Thames, in an airy Street in the Strand, with good Vaults. Enquire at Mr. Jones's in Exeter-Change, at the End of Exeter-street in the Strand.

To be LETT,

At Hillingdon, 14 Miles from London, on the Oxford Road, a compleat Part of a large House, and all manner of Conveniencies for Outhousing, fit for about 4 in Family. Enquire of Mr. Coles, Stationer, over-against Chancery-Lane End in Fleet-street, or at the Crown at Hillingdon.

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